

105TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# S. 793

To amend the Public Health Service Act to require that the Center for Substance Abuse Treatment carry out treatment programs for adolescents.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 22, 1997

Mr. DODD introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources

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## A BILL

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1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4       This Act may be cited as the “Substance Abuse  
5       Treatment for Adolescents Act”.

6       **SEC. 2. AMENDMENT TO PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE ACT.**

7       Section 507 of the Public Health Service Act (42  
8       U.S.C. 290bb) is amended by adding at the end the follow-  
9       ing:

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1       “(d) PROVISION OF SERVICES.—Notwithstanding  
2 any other provision of law, the Secretary, acting through  
3 the Center for Substance Abuse Treatment, shall ensure  
4 that not less than 20 percent of the amounts appropriated  
5 under this subpart for the programs and activities of the  
6 Center for Substance Abuse Treatment for each fiscal  
7 year, but in no case less than \$20,000,000, is used to  
8 carry out adolescent specific substance abuse treatment  
9 programs. Such programs shall include the provision of  
10 services to such adolescents as well as the conduct of eval-  
11 uations and research concerning the effects of such serv-  
12 ices.”.

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